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Margaret Chase Smith Hits

Space-Sharing Plan. (Service of the Chicago Tribune.) Washington, April 1. — Sen. Margaret Chase Smith (R-Me.) launched a 2-stage attack today on the administration of Presi-

dent Kennedy.

She first criticized the administration proposal to share space knowledge of the United States with Russia by declaring that America had more to less that America had more to lose than gain in such an exchange.

Then Mrs. Smith charged that the Central Intelligence agency is becoming a catch-all to cover up the 1500 campaign statements of candidate Kennedy which are coming book to nedy which are coming back to haunt him as President."

"I do not have a very high regard for the past work of the CIA" the senator said, "especially after the Cuban fiasco and the U-2 disaster. But appar-

ently it is now being used as a dumping ground for the 1960 campaign statements of candidate Kennedy. I believe it needs to have a more useful purpose than that."

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